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Applicant: MALONEY
 Serial No.: 09/822,623
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Examiner: UNKNOWN
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Commissioner for Patents
 Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

We are transmitting herewith the attached:

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- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement, Form 1449, 64 Reference(s)
- ☐ Communication Regarding Labels Available Prior to March 30, 2000
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COMMUNICATION REGARDING LABELS
AVAILABLE PRIOR TO MARCH 30, 2000

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Dear Sir:

Applicant is aware of labels in use in the United States prior to March 30, 2000, having patterned adhesive constructions including adhesive voids areas, such as a frame of adhesive on an outer area of the label surrounding a middle area with no adhesive.

Respectfully submitted,

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